

Inspection Report

STEARNS ZOOLOGICAL RESCUE AND REHAB

Customer ID: 16585

Certificate: 58-C-0883

Site: 001

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37245 MERIDIAN AVENUE

Type: ATTEMPTED INSPECTION

DADE CITY, FL 33523

Date: Jan-26-2012

2.126 (b)**ACCESS AND INSPECTION OF RECORDS AND PROPERTY.**

Sec. 2.126 Access and inspection of records and property

(b) The use of a room, table, or other facilities necessary for the proper examination of the records and inspection of the property or animals must be extended to APHIS officials by the dealer, exhibitor, intermediate handler or carrier, and a responsible adult shall be made available to accompany APHIS officials during the inspection process.

****On January 26, 2012, I arrived at the facility at 9:30 am to conduct a USDA inspection in order to comply with the AWA regulations.

I called all the telephone numbers provided in the file and finally the tour store answered. I let them know I was there for an inspection and needed somebody authorized to conduct the inspection. They told me they would contact Mrs. Stearns and I waited at the entrance of the facility for 20 minutes. I was called back and they respond that they could not reach Mrs. Stearns. I drove to the office in Meridian ave. and went to the front door and it was locked. I went to the tour store where I saw a young man and the mature person that is usually at the store and asked if they had any luck contacting Mrs. Stearns and the response was negative. I left at 10:23 am.

****A responsible adult was not available to conduct a USDA inspection to comply with the AWA.

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